



WOODSTOCK, VIRGINIA.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1909

THE COMING ELECTION.

One week from next Tuesday the voters of this state will select the officers who will guide their affairs. The democrats have chosen as the standard bearer of their party Judge William Hodges Mann. Everything is fair in war and there may have been some harsh things said during the campaign in political debate by both contestants for the gubernatorial honor in order to gain supremacy. These are usual occurrences in both parties. But the hatchet is buried and the defeated and successful candidates are vying with each other in an attempt to again steer the good old democratic ship to port. No plausible reason can be found for changing the conditions which exist today. The safety of the commonwealth demands the return of the democratic party to power. No finger of scorn can be pointed against the management of the affairs of the state. The democratic party has been liberal to the old soldier who sacrificed everything for the state, it has been good to the public schools, it has proven itself the friend of good roads in the improvement of public highways etc. The state's credit is better than ever and there is not one scintilla of reason for turning the state over to the republicans. Everyone knows the record of the republican party—composed of capitalists who obtain great wealth as a result of combines, combinations and trusts. The workingman has had ample opportunity to test the promises of the republican party, and it is generally presumed that he has not been deceived of that duty—for he owes it to his family. He is naturally wise to conditions and sees no reason to swap horses in the middle of a troubled waters. No honest man of the people is discontented with the sphere in which providence has seen fit to place him as long as he receives his just dues, but when those "born-to-the-purple" try to trample the life out of him and raise the price of foodstuffs until he and his family are obliged to subsist on the poorest the country affords or starve altogether, he must expect "soap-box oratory," or something worse when the burden comes too heavy, during which time it behooves the capitalists and their associates to hie themselves to Europe and spend their time in automobiling that country. No, fellow democrats, the time has not as yet come when the state of Virginia can be given over to the republican party. Vote for Judge Mann and the whole ticket and as your chief executive he, the judge, will be an honor to the state and those who elect him.

Arrested Mrs. Surratt.

Wm. B. Farrell, who arrested Mrs. Surratt, charged with conspiracy in the assassination of Lincoln died at the Hudson River State Hospital at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., on Thursday, aged 70 years. Mr. Farrell's end came suddenly, closing an unfortunate life and adding another grim chapter to the tragedy at Ford's Theatre. Mr. Farrell, a lieutenant in the union cavalry, was stationed in Washington on the night of the assassination. He obtained a clue that led him to arrest Mrs. Surratt. He took an important part in Mrs. Surratt's trial and was rewarded by the government by a gold medal. But the nemesis that has pursued every one connected with this historic case, as the records show, was on his trail, and 26 years ago Lieutenant Farrell became insane as a result of a fall from his horse while in the army. R. E. Lansing, of Poughkeepsie, was appointed a committee of Farrell's personal. Farrell was never violent, and his guardian frequently entertained him in the city by taking him to the theatre and dinners. He also tried to collect for him a reward of \$5,000 offered by the government for the arrest of each of the Lincoln conspirators, but was unsuccessful.

D. Q. Eggleston Dies of Pneumonia.

David Q. Eggleston, familiarly known as "Daisy" Eggleston, Secretary of the Commonwealth of Virginia, for the last eight years, died at Memorial Hospital in Richmond Sunday morning after an illness of only a week of pneumonia, complicated by a weak heart. Mr. Eggleston was first confined to his bed ten days ago and two days later was taken to the hospital. He was 52 years old, and was a native of Charlotte, where he spent most of his life. His education was received at Hampden-Sydney College and at the University of Virginia. At the former school he graduated with honors. While at the University he took the law course under the tutelage of the distinguished instructor, John B. Minor. It is now too late to have Mr. Eggleston's name taken to the office of ballot and another substituted. No doubt the Democratic State Committee will be called together before the week is out and another candidate placed in the field.

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SHEMENDOAH COUNTY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The following is a statement of the business transacted by the Shenandoah County Teachers' Association, during the sessions of the Institute held in Woodstock, October 7 and 8. Officers elected for the school year of 1909-1910, are as follows: Pres. C. V. Shoemaker, Sec'y. Sophia Heinrich, Treas. Emma French.

Vice Presidents—Lee district, T. A. Neff; Ashby district, W. W. Peters; Madison district, R. L. Donnelly; Johnston district, C. B. Harlow; Davis district, J. C. Dillinger; Stone wall district, O. C. Dillinger; Woodstock district, O. C. Dillinger.

Auditing Committee—M. D. Bowers, W. M. Logue and Agnes Fravel.

The amounts collected from each district are as follows:

District	Collector	Amt.	Mem.
Lee	T. A. Neff	\$4.25	17
Ashby	W. W. Peters	4.75	19
Madison	Hope McCann	3.50	14
Davis	J. Edwin Pifer	3.75	15
Johnston	Sallie Clower	2.00	8
Stonewall	O. C. Dillinger	2.25	9
Woodstock	Agnes West	2.00	8

Total.....\$22.50 90

There is \$22 in the hands of the treasurer from last year. All dues paid in this year will be, now in a few weeks, turned over to the treasurer of the State Association. All who have paid their dues are members both of the County and State Associations. We hope there are more teachers or school officers who wish to join this great movement. Any who wish to join will please hand their membership fee over to either the collector or vice-president of their district.

We are entitled to four delegates in the State Association. The names of the delegates will be announced later. We hope each district will hold two meetings this year, one early in November, and the other late in January or February. It is our purpose to have the constitution printed and distributed as early as possible.

Respectfully submitted,
C. D. SHOEMAKER, Pres.

The schedule that was adopted with the Course of Study for Rural Schools by the Shenandoah Teachers' Institute, is as follows:

Opening Exercises	9:00-9:10
Chart Class	9:10-9:20
First Reader	9:20-9:30
Second and Third Grade	
Arithmetic	9:30-9:50
Fourth and Fifth Grade	
Arithmetic	9:50-10:10
Sixth and Seventh Grade	
Arithmetic	10:10-10:30
Recess	10:30-10:40
Chart Class	10:40-10:50
First Reader and Number	
Work	10:50-11:00
Fourth and Fifth Grade	
Geography	11:00-11:15
Sixth and Seventh Grade	
Geography and Physiology	11:15-11:35
Second and Third Grade	
Spelling	11:35-11:40
Fourth and Fifth Grade	
Spelling	11:40-11:50
Sixth and Seventh Grade	
Advanced Spelling	11:50-12:00
Noon	12:00-1:00
Chart Class	1:00-1:10
First Reader	1:10-1:20
Sixth and Seventh Grade	
Grammar	1:20-1:40
Fourth and Fifth Grade	
Grammar	1:40-2:00
Second Reader	2:00-2:15
Third Reader	2:15-2:30
Recess	2:30-2:40
Chart Class	2:40-2:50
First Reader	2:50-3:00
Sixth and Seventh Grades	
History 3 days, Reading 2 days per week	3:00-3:20
Fifth Grade, History 3 days and Reading 2 days per week	3:20-3:35
Writing	3:35-3:50
Second and Third Grade	
Spelling	3:50-3:55
Fourth and Fifth Grade	
Spelling	3:55-4:00

OLD SOLDIER DIES IN GRASS.

Hampton, Va., Oct. 16.—After appealing to the authorities of the National Soldiers' Home to take him in to the hospital for treatment, and being refused, Joseph Mahaffey, a veteran of the Civil War, crawled into the grass at the Phobus entrance to the home yesterday and died. He was almost dead when he asked to be permitted to enter the hospital, which permission was refused because he had been dishonorably discharged from the Union Army. A captain of the Salvation Army came along just as Mahaffey was breathing his last and offered a prayer for the dying. Mahaffey, who was 74 years old, came from Philadelphia.

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MAURERTOWN.

J. B. Clem, of Lantz's Mills visited his son, J. B., Jr., on Monday and Tuesday.

Prof. W. A. Garber, LL. D., of Dayton, is preaching able, practical and earnest sermons at the Brethren church this week.

Mrs. G. B. Saum is confined to her home with sciatic rheumatism, at this writing Wednesday she is not suffering as great pain as the previous five days.

Mrs. Della Bryant and two sons, of Manassas are here visiting Benjamin McInturf and friends of the neighborhood.

Mrs. Mary Cutlers, of Seven Fountains is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lucy L. Sine.

Mrs. Nora Strickler, of Mt. Clinton, Rockingham county, who visited the family of L. A. Swartz for several days left for her home on Monday.

Cyrus Fetzler is representing the North New Jersey nurses.

Allen Orndorff and wife, of Washington visited Mrs. O's parents over Saturday and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Saum.

Samuel Pierce, while chopping wood Monday evening had the misfortune of cutting his right foot to the bone, the cut being about 1 1/2 inches on the inside of the instep.

S. J. Shaver, while he was seeding a field on the hill above the river on the Keller farm 2 miles Southeast of here found a bayonet, that is supposed to have been lost during the late war. It is in a fair state of preservation considering the time it has been under the ground.

On last Thursday Eld. S. A. Shaver united in marriage at the home of Capt. R. D. Funkhouser, William Fauber, of Harrisville, and Miss Bertie Reedy.

Homer Copp and wife, of Fisher's Hill, visited the family of Silas Copp several days last week, returning home on Sunday.

Miss Mary Fetzler is visiting her brother, Robert, at Woodstock this week.

The Brethren will hold their communion services at the Brethren church here on next Sunday evening. Prof. J. C. Beall, of Shenandoah College, will preach the examination sermon on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

POWELL'S FORT.

The people of this place just had the pleasure of hearing Prof. W. A. Garber deliver a series of biblical and scientific sermons and now have a repetition of a series of sermons by Rev. Heydrick.

Mrs. Marston is still very ill.

Mr. Z. Atwood returned home from W. Va., where he and his boys were picking apples and peaches.

Rev. J. A. McInturf returned from Harrisonburg where he was conducting a revival meeting. He was compelled to close his meeting and retire from work for awhile on the account of some spinal trouble.

The child which received a severe burn last week is still very ill.

Mrs. C. D. Clem is still very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Jos. Heltzel from Hardy Co., W. Va., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Cornelius Lichliter.

Rev. J. A. McInturf received a letter calling upon him to give the reputation of some of our citizens. He declined.

Mr. Z. Taylor is sick at this time.

We are enjoying some fine music by Mr. J. F. Tampion.

Mr. Frank Moreland was in our section last week.

The children of this place are enjoying the new desks in the school house, but would enjoy a graded school situated at Cross Roads better.

Mrs. Mary Cutlers left on a visit to her daughter at Maurertown.

There is quite a stir about the hog law. We think if the talked of law, should become a real law, that we would need a humane law.

Mrs. Josie Messersmith laid a considerable amount of money on her mantle, and after having a visitor the money became invisible. Josie says but little, as this is but the old practice of the past year.

Miss Pearl Rittenour is just about the same suffering with the fever.

Mr. James Taylor returned home from Cumberland, where he was engaged in building cars.

Mr. Victor Robinson paid his regular Sunday evening visit to Mr. Harvey Hoffman's.

TOM'S BROOK.

An automobile in which Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Heneberger, the latter's father, Mr. E. L. Decker, and Mr. and Mrs. George G. Gratton, Jr., were returning to Harrisonburg, after attending the Hagerstown fair, was drenched Thursday night, a half mile north of this place. The machine turned over, but none of the party was seriously hurt and all were able to continue the journey next morning. From here they went to Harrisonburg as passengers on a Southern train.

At the time of the accident, which occurred about 10 o'clock, Mr. Heneberger was driving the machine, which he had purchased only a few weeks before. The Southern train runs parallel with the Valley turnpike at Tom's Brook and the two are so close together at that point that Mr. Heneberger mistook the headlight of a southbound engine for that of a rapidly approaching automobile and looked back. As he did so, he lost control of the machine and it left the roadbed, going down an embankment of a few feet and turned over on top of a stone fence.

The auto was temporarily left to its fate and the travelers walked to Tom's Brook, where they procured hotel accommodations for the night. Harry Butler came here Friday afternoon and after some repairs to the machine, which was a handsome Rambler touring car, ran it to Harrisonburg that night.

Don't forget to vote for Brumback on Election Day.

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Lap Robes \$1.98 to \$5.00.	Children's Underwear 10c to 50c.	Boys' Overcoats \$2.00 to \$6.00
Horse Blankets 98cts. to \$1.85.	Union Suits 25c and 50c.	Men's Overcoats \$3.49 to \$15.00

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MARKETS

Woodstock, Va., Oct. 21, 1909.	Apples Wanted.
(Corrected weekly by F. S. Bowman.)	We will purchase apples at Woodstock, Tom's Brook and Firshers Hill, this season.
Wheat.....\$1.17	MAUCK & MILLER,
Oats......75	Aug. 13-3m pd. S. D. Ward, agt
Corn......85	
Potatoes.....75	
Sweet Potatoes.....60	
Turkeys.....12	
Chickens old.....14	
" spring.....28	
Eggs......22	
Butter......16	
Bacon, Side and Shoulder.....20	
" Hams......15	
Lard......15	
Onions......75	

Cattle—Receipts for the week ended Oct. 17: 60 head, against 45 head last week. 60 car loads on the market. Quota: Steers, good to choice butchers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; others, \$4.00 to \$4.50; Cows, \$3.50 to \$4.00; Bulls, \$3.00 to \$3.50; Hogs, \$4.25 to \$4.50; Pigs, \$3.50 to \$4.00; Sheep, \$3.00 to \$3.50; Goats, \$2.50 to \$3.00.

Hogs—Receipts for the week ended Oct. 17: 100 head, against 80 head last week. 100 car loads on the market. Quota: Steers, good to choice butchers, \$4